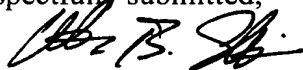


REMARKS

In response to the office communication mailed January 24, 2007, it is respectfully submitted that the issues under 35 U.S.C. §112 are obviated. It is submitted that further clarification to claims 18 and 26 obviates any remaining issues. The claims are submitted to be in condition for allowance, as discussed in applicants reply of October 23, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,



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